

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 23 Jul 2021 until 23:59 on Saturday 24 Jul 2021

Forecast Issued on Thursday 22 Jul 2021 at 16:46

Confidence: High for the weather to turn more changeable, cooler and wetter from Friday evening onwards. Low for the timings of heaviest rainfall.

Headline for Friday 23 Jul 2021: A mostly dry and very warm day, turning wetter overnight.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 23 Jul 2021

Blizzards

No Likelihood

Gales

No Likelihood

Thunderstorms

Low Likelihood

Heavy Snow

No Likelihood

Severe chill effect

No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain

No Likelihood

Storm force winds

No Likelihood

Poor visibility

No Likelihood

Strong sunlight

High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
							
Clear night	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Heavy rain showers	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	20%	00%	00%

Forecast for Friday 23 Jul 2021

Weather: A sunny and warm start, remaining dry and very warm throughout the day. Through the afternoon skies will turn cloudier with a risk of a heavy or thundery shower for a time. Into the evening it will remain dry but cloudy and become breezy on exposed hills and slopes.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 100%

Visibility: Very good throughout the day, though some distant hills will appear hazy at times, turning poor temporarily in any isolated heavy showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	12/16 E	9/12 E	10/13 E	11/15 E	13/19 E	15/23 E	19/27 E	23/31 E	24/32 E
600	10/15 E	8/11 SE	8/11 E	8/12 E	10/16 E	13/20 E	13/21 E	15/25 E	17/26 E
300	9/15 E	7/11 SE	6/10 E	5/10 E	8/15 E	10/19 E	9/19 E	10/21 E	12/23 E
Valley	8/14 SE	7/12 SE	6/11 SE	5/10 E	8/15 E	11/20 E	9/17 E	9/20 E	12/22 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	18/15	17/16	17/16	18/16	18/16	18/15	17/14	14/10	12/8
600	20/18	19/18	19/18	20/19	21/20	21/18	20/17	17/14	14/11
300	21/20	20/20	20/20	23/23	24/24	24/22	22/21	19/18	16/14
Valley	22/21	21/20	21/21	24/25	26/25	25/24	24/23	20/19	17/15
Freezing Level*	2800m	2700m	2700m	2700m	2700m	2600m	2700m	2700m	2600m

*Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.

Meteorologist's View

With a stronger breeze through the afternoon it will feel cooler than recent days but UV levels are still high so sun protection is advised. All areas are at risk of seeing an isolated thunderstorms so monitor the weather throughout the day to stay safe.

Forecast for Saturday 24 Jul 2021

Weather: Heavy rain and thunderstorms are likely throughout the day with some sunny and warmer spells in-between, most frequent in the afternoon. Generally feeling cooler, wetter and cloudier through throughout the day and into the evening.

Maximum wind: North-easterly mean 15mph gusts of 25mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 40% first thing becoming 60% through the afternoon.

Visibility: Poor at times first thing with heavy rain and patchy cloud bases at around 600m, perhaps improving to be good in the afternoon but suddenly deteriorating in any heavy showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 14 Celsius becoming plus 20 Celsius.

At 800m: Plus 14 Celsius.

Freezing level: Above the summits.

Ground Conditions Supplement

Please see - <https://www.eryri.llyw.cymru/visiting/walking/ground-conditions>

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